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- (c) Criterion 3—Management/Quality Improvement.
- (1) Establish and implement processes to detect and prevent quality problems.
- (2) Identify, control, and correct items, services, and processes that do not meet established requirements.
- (3) Identify the causes of problems and work to prevent recurrence as a part of correcting the problem.
- (4) Review item characteristics, process implementation, and other quality-related information to identify items, services, and processes needing improvement.
- (d) Criterion 4—Management/Documents and Records.
- (1) Prepare, review, approve, issue, use, and revise documents to prescribe processes, specify requirements, or establish design.
- (2) Specify, prepare, review, approve, and maintain records.
- (e) Criterion 5—Performance/Work Processes.
- (1) Perform work consistent with technical standards, administrative controls, and other hazard controls adopted to meet regulatory or contract requirements, using approved instructions, procedures, or other appropriate means.
- (2) Identify and control items to ensure their proper use.
- (3) Maintain items to prevent their damage, loss, or deterioration.
- (4) Calibrate and maintain equipment used for process monitoring or data collection.
 - (f) Criterion 6—Performance/Design.
- (1) Design items and processes using sound engineering/scientific principles and appropriate standards.
- (2) Incorporate applicable requirements and design bases in design work and design changes
- (3) Identify and control design interfaces.
- (4) Verify or validate the adequacy of design products using individuals or groups other than those who performed the work.
- (5) Verify or validate work before approval and implementation of the design.
- (g) Criterion 7—Performance/Procurement.

- (1) Procure items and services that meet established requirements and perform as specified.
- (2) Evaluate and select prospective suppliers on the basis of specified criteria.
- (3) Establish and implement processes to ensure that approved suppliers continue to provide acceptable items and services.
- (h) Criterion 8—Performance/Inspection and Acceptance Testing.
- (1) Inspect and test specified items, services, and processes using established acceptance and performance criteria.
- (2) Calibrate and maintain equipment used for inspections and tests.
- (i) Criterion 9—Assessment/Management Assessment. Ensure managers assess their management processes and identify and correct problems that hinder the organization from achieving its objectives.
- (j) Criterion 10—Assessment/Independent Assessment.
- (1) Plan and conduct independent assessments to measure item and service quality, to measure the adequacy of work performance, and to promote improvement.
- (2) Establish sufficient authority, and freedom from line management, for the group performing independent assessments.
- (3) Ensure persons who perform independent assessments are technically qualified and knowledgeable in the areas to be assessed.

Subpart B—Safety Basis Requirements

§830.200 Scope.

This Subpart establishes safety basis requirements for hazard category 1, 2, and 3 DOE nuclear facilities.

§830.201 Performance of work.

A contractor must perform work in accordance with the safety basis for a hazard category 1, 2, or 3 DOE nuclear facility and, in particular, with the hazard controls that ensure adequate protection of workers, the public, and the environment.